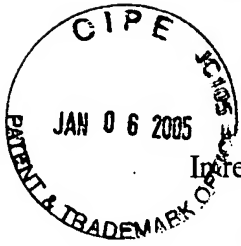


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## **AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed 10/6/04, applicants respectfully request entry of this amendment and consideration of the following remarks.